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Examiner: Wong  
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Applicant: Gassenmeier et al.

Title: **ORGANOLEPTIC COMPOSITIONS: USE OF 3-MERCAPTO****ALKANOIC ACID ESTERS AS FLAVOR INGREDIENTS**

Atty Docket: GRISA-710

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS (37 C.F.R. § 1.191)**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed May 19, 2003 finally rejecting claims 1-16.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. **Status of Applicant**

This application is on behalf of

☒ other than a small entity.  
☐ a small entity.

## 2. Fee for Filing Notice of Appeal

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

☐ small entity \$165.00  
☒ other than a small entity \$330.00

Notice of Appeal fee due \$330.00

## Extension of Term

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 apply.

(a) X Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (months)	Fee for other than <u>small entity</u>	Fee for <u>small entity</u>
<u>    </u> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<u>    </u> two months	\$ 420.00	\$210.00
<u>  X  </u> three months	\$ 950.00	\$475.00
<u>    </u> four months	\$1,480.00	\$740.00
<u>    </u> fifth month	\$2,010.00	\$1,005.00

Fee \$950.00

     Attached is a check in the amount of \$      for the three month extension fee as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(c). If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)

     An extension for      months has already been secured and the fee paid thereof of \$      is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. Extension fee due with this request \$     .

OR

(b)      Applicants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

## 3. Total Fee Due

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal fee \$330.00  
Extension fee (if any) \$950.00

Total Fee due \$1280.00

## 4. Fee Payment

       Attached is a check is the sum of \$           

  X   The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$1250.00 for the appeal fee to Deposit Account No. 23-3000. A duplicate of this Notice is attached.

## 5. Fee Deficiency

  XX   Charge any additional fee required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3000. A duplicate of this Notice is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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